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**INFORMATION REPORT**

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SUBJECT Electric Furnaces Being Supplied to  
Czechs for New Steel Plant

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1. Siemens-Schuckert\* and Siemens-Halske\* will deliver to the Czech Government in 1952 four electric furnaces for the installation of a new steel plant in Zdar (P50/N43). Two of the furnaces are of ten ton, and two of six ton capacity. They have electrode type heating elements. The total value of the furnaces is \$1,500,000.
2. Between August-October 1951 an unidentified Belgian firm delivered to the Czech Government two induction-type electric furnaces which are believed destined for the Zdar installation.
3. The HUKO\*\* (Huettenkombinat) installation in Velka Ida (R49/E23) is being rushed to completion, chiefly because additional iron ore (of a low grade) has been discovered nearby.

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